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Dear Commissioner,

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, this Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted for the above-referenced application.

Applicants request the Office to consider this Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.97 (b). Accordingly no fees are due for consideration of the items listed on the attached PTO-1449.

The references listed on the attached PTO-1449 were cited by the Canadian Patent Office in the counterpart Canadian application.

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97 (h) the disclosure contained herein is not intended to constitute an admission that any patent, publication, or other information referred to is "prior art" or "analogous art" for this invention.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees, if necessary, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 19-0750. (Order No. C94-007-1-D4)

Respectfully submitted,

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